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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tanuma et al.

Serial No.: 09/282,772

Filed: March 31, 1999

For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY  
DEVICE OPERATING IN A  
VERTICALLY ALIGNED MODE  
OF LIQUID CRYSTAL  
MOLECULES

Art Unit: 2871

Examiner: Qi, Z.



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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.

**Extension fee for response within first month:**

- ( ) By a small entity (1.9(f)) ..... \$ 55.00  
(X) By other than a small entity ..... \$ 110.00

**Extension fee for response within second month:**

- ( ) By a small entity (1.9(f)) ..... \$ 200.00  
( ) By other than a small entity ..... \$ 400.00

**Extension fee for response within third month:**

- ( ) By a small entity (1.9(f)) ..... \$ 460.00  
( ) By other than a small entity ..... \$ 920.00

**Extension fee for response within fourth month:**

- ( ) By a small entity (1.9(f)) ..... \$ 720.00  
( ) By other than a small entity ..... \$ 1,440.00

**Extension fee for response within fifth month:**

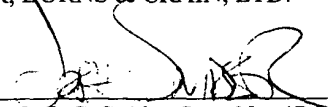
- ( ) By a small entity (1.9(f)) ..... \$980.00  
( ) By other than a small entity ..... \$1,960.00

- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this petition, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. Should no proper amount be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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